

## Message Text

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ACTION ARA-14

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 EB-08 DODE-00 NSAE-00 USIA-15  
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-----073255 211603Z /46

R 182323Z NOV 77  
FM AMEMBASSY GUATEMALA  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 8176

UNCLAS GUATEMALA 7110

FOR ARA/RPP-PM

E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: MASS, GT  
SUBJ: MUNITIONS CONTROL END-USE CHECK: EL EBANO

REF: STATE 265939

1. EMBASSY UNABLE TO LOCATE EITHER PRIVATE SECURITY SERVICE OR  
COMMERCIAL FIRM BY NAME OF "EL EBANO" IN GUATEMALA CITY.  
AMONG OTHER THINGS, NAME DOES NOT APPEAR IN REGISTER WHICH  
NATIONAL POLICE MAINTAINS OF ALL RECOGNIZED PRIVATE SECURITY  
OUTFITS.

2. UNDER CIRCUMSTANCES, EMBASSY CANNOT ENDORSE SALE. IF  
SMITH AND WESSON WILL PROVIDE MORE PARTICULARS, SUCH AS STREET  
ADDRESS OF ULTIMATE CONSIGNEE, WE CAN EXPLORE FURTHER.  
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## Message Attributes

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